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(x) Refugee Relief and Rehabilitation.

1260. The work relating to the relief and rehabilitation of displaced persons who migrated into Mysore State continued as in previous years to be under the administration of the Revenue Commissioner, who was also the Vice-Chairman of the Central Advisory Committee for Rehabilitation of displaced persons.

Registration.

1261. Five families comprising of 21 persons were registered during the year bringing the total population of displaced persons migrated to the State from the beginning to 8,752 comprising of 2,072 families. Of these, 106 families consisting of 296 persons left the State to rehabilitate themselves in other States of the Union on employment offered to or business facilities secured by them.

Relief.

1262. In pursuance of the instructions of the Government of India, gratuitous relief by way of cash doles was paid to the old, the infirm, unattached women and their children and the destitutes who have none to support them or no source of earning, at the rate of Rs. 12 per adult and Rs. 8 per child per month. The expenditure was met out of the total contribution of Rs. 99,000 raised for the purpose from philanthropic public and after this fund was exhausted, the State Government advanced the necessary funds subject to reimbursement from the Government of India.

Rehabilitation Loans.

1263. In accordance with the Scheme of the Government of the India empowering the State Government to sanction a rehabilitation loan below Rs. 5,000, a total sum of Rs. 12,001 was disbursed to 12 families by way of rehabilitation loans for trade, business, tailoring, etc., bringing the total amount advanced from the commencement of the scheme to Rs. 3,33,891, in respect of 285 displaced persons. A further sum of Rs. 38,010 was granted to 31 displaced persons settled at Bellary, besides a sum of Rs. 4,396 spent towards the supply of rations to the displaced persons at Bellary.

Housing.

1264. Out of 200 sites in Jayanagar Extension, Bangalore reserved for the displaced persons, fifty-three houses were constructed at a cost of Rs. 3,600 each (exclusive of the value of site) through the agency of the City

Improvement Trust Board, Bangalore and were allotted to displaced persons having verified claims. Besides, three families were allotted houses in Kumara Park West Extension built under the local housing schemes and two of them were granted a loan of Rs. 5,000 each in order to enable them to purchase the house.

Recoveries.

1265. A total sum of Rs. 67,375 (Principal) and a sum of Rs. 2,148 towards interest was recovered from the displaced persons from the beginning to end of the Financial year. Recovery of loans from displaced persons was continued.

Financial Assistance to displaced students.

1266. A sum of Rs. 15,000 was allotted by the Government of India for grant of Financial Assistance to Displaced students and 367 students were given the assistance amounting in the aggregate to Rs. 14,998.

1267. Five hundred and sixty compensation applications were received from the displaced persons in general during the year and they were forwarded to the Regional Settlement Commissioner, Bombay and the Chief Settlement Commissioner, New Delhi, after necessary investigation as to the dues outstanding to the State Government from the claimants.

(xi) Regional Employment Exchange.

1268. The Regional Employment Exchange, Bangalore, registered as usual all categories of employment seekers during the year and placed suitable candidates against reported vacancies.

1269. The weekly registration work at the Labour Welfare Centre, Cottonpet, Bangalore City, continued to work on all working Saturdays.

1270. Statistics relating to Registrations, Vacancies notified and the placements effected were as follows:—

Year	Registrations	Vacancies notified	No. o candidates placed	No. of candidates on the Live Register at the end of the year
1953-54	16,272	1,251	906	7,127
1954-55	15,020	1,252	710	7,659